# **Chapter 1: Getting Started**

#### 1. Hello World!

Every C++ program must have exactly one global function named main(). The program starts by executing that function. The int value returned by main(), if any, is the program's return value to "the system." If no value is returned, the system will receive a value indicating successful completion. A nonzero value from main() indicates failure.

Not every operating system and execution environment make use of that return value: Linux/Unix-based environments often do, but Windows-based environments rarely do.

Typically, a program produces some output. Here is a program that writes Hello, World! Hello.cpp

```
#include <iostream>
   int main(){
    std::cout << "Hello World!\n";
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

(Visual Studio Express 2013 Demo)

The line #include <iostream> instructs the compiler to include the declarations of the standard stream I/O facilities as found in iostream. Without these declarations, the expression

```
std::cout << "Hello World!\n";
```

would make no sense. The operator << ("put to") writes its second argument onto its first. In this case, the string literal "Hello, World!\n" is written onto the standard output stream std::cout. A string literal is a sequence of characters surrounded by double quotes. In a string literal, the backslash character \ followed by another character denotes a single "special character." In this case, \n is the newline character. The std:: specifies that the name cout is to be found in the standard-library namespace.

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# 2. A More Serious Program

**Problem statement:** a bookstore keeps a file of transactions. Each transaction records the sale of a given book and contains an ISBN (International Standard Book Number, a unique identifier assigned to most books published throughout the world), the number of copies sold, and the price at which each copy was sold. Each transaction looks like

where the first element is the ISBN, the second is the number of books sold, and the last is the sales price.

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#### **Reading an Unknown Number of Inputs**

C++ 101: Write a program that sums from 0 to 9 using for loop control and print the sum.

Sum.cpp

A:

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A logical extension of this program would be to ask the user to input a set of numbers to sum. In this case, we won't know how many numbers to add. Instead, we'll keep reading numbers until there are no more numbers to read. Write a program and use while loop for the task.

```
Enter the number to be summed: 2
Enter the number to be summed (non-integer to quit): 3
Enter the number to be summed (non-integer to quit): 6
Enter the number to be summed (non-integer to quit): !
Sum is: 11
```

# AddSum.cpp

A:

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# **Introducing Classes**

## (Reading and writing Sales\_item object)

#### ItemIO.cpp

```
#include <iostream>
#include "Sales_item.h"
int main()
{
    Sales_item book;
    // read ISBN, number of copies sold, and sales price
    std::cin >> book;
    // write ISBN, number of copies sold, total revenue, and average
    // price
    std::cout << book << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

Q: If the input to the program is 0-2-1-70353-X 4 24.99, what is the output?

A:

### (Adding two Sales item objects)

#### AddItem.cpp

```
#include <iostream>
#include "Sales_item.h"
int main()
{
    Sales_item item1, item2;
    std::cin >> item1 >> item2; // read a pair of transactions
    std::cout << item1 + item2 << std::endl; // print their sum
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

**Q:** If the inputs to the program are 0-2-1-70353-X 4 20.0 and 0-2-1-70353-X 3 20.0, what will be the output?

A:

(Class Member Function) A member function is a function that is defined by a class.

Member functions are defined once for the class but are treated as members of each object.

We refer to these operations as member functions because they usually operate on a specific

object. A dot operator is used to call a member function.

#### AddItemCheck.cpp

**Q:** where is the member function? What is its behavior?

A:

# (Put things together and solve the problem)



(Our Task) write a program so we can

- read from the file with transactions
- computes the number of copies of each title sold
- the total revenue (總收入) from that book
- the average sales price.

**To ease our life for now,** we'll **assume** that all of the transactions for a given ISBN appear together.

#### (The Input File)

#### book sales

```
0-201-70353-X 4 24.99
0-201-82470-1 4 45.39
0-201-88954-4 2 15.00
0-201-88954-4 5 12.00
0-201-88954-4 7 12.00
```

```
0-201-88954-4 2 12.00
0-399-82477-1 2 45.39
0-399-82477-1 3 45.39
0-201-78345-X 3 20.00
0-201-78345-X 2 25.00
```

#### (The Logics)

- Our program will combine the data for each ISBN in a Sales\_item object named total.
- Each transaction we read from the standard input will be stored in a second
   Sales\_item object named trans.
- Each time we read a new transaction we'll compare it to the Sales\_item object total.
- If the objects refer to the same ISBN, we'll update total. Otherwise we'll print the value in total and reset it using the transaction we just read.

#### (The Code)

#### AvgPrice.cpp

```
#include <iostream>
#include "Sales_item.h"
int main()
   Sales_item total; // variable to hold data for the next transaction
   // read the first transaction and ensure that there are data
   if (std::cin >> total) {
      Sales_item trans; // variable to hold the running sum
       // read and process the remaining transactions
      while (std::cin >> trans) {
          // if we're still processing the same book
          if (total.isbn() == trans.isbn())
              total += trans; // update the running total
          else {
              // print results for the previous book
             std::cout << total << std::endl;</pre>
             total = trans; // total now refers to the next book
          }
       }
      std::cout << total << std::endl; // print the last transaction</pre>
   } else {
       // no input! warn the user
      std::cerr << "No data?!" << std::endl;</pre>
      return -1; // indicate failure
   return 0;
```

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Q: what are the outputs?

A: